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Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.116
Art Unit 2143, Expedited Procedure

In re Application of:

Docket No. 03500.014278.

MASATO OCHIAI

Application No.: 09/507,941

Examiner: D. E. England

Filed: February 22, 2000

Art Unit: 2143

For: NETWORK DEVICE CONTROL APPARATUS,
NETWORK DEVICE CONTROL METHOD,
NETWORK DEVICE CONTROL PROGRAM,
AND COMPUTER-READABLE RECORDING
MEDIUM STORING NETWORK CONTROL
PROGRAM THEREIN

March 13, 2006

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THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response in the above-identified application.

☐ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 18	MINUS	** 44	= 0	x \$25 \$50	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 9	MINUS	*** 8	= 1	x \$100 \$200	\$200.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$180°/\$360						\$0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						\$200.00


* If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.

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- ☐ Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 200.00 is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge \$ _____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the fee for a ____ month extension is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
- ☒ Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,


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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
MASATO OCHIAI)
Application No.: 09/507,941)
Filed: February 22, 2000)
For: NETWORK DEVICE CONTROL)
APPARATUS, NETWORK DEVICE)
CONTROL METHOD, NETWORK)
DEVICE CONTROL PROGRAM, AND)
COMPUTER-READABLE RECORDING)
MEDIUM STORING NETWORK)
CONTROL PROGRAM THEREIN)
Examiner: David E. England
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 12, 2006 , please amend the
above-identified application as follows. The amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing
beginning on page 2, and the Remarks begin on page 11.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the
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Signature

March 13, 2006
Date of Signature